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SANTA : CLAUS

Has again made his Headquarters with us, and we will tell of some of the pretty things he has for

CHRISTMAS:PRESENTS.

Dolls—Hundreds of Styles—Plain China, Kid, Bisque, Dressed, Rubber, Rag, Worsted and every other kind, in large or small sizes.

Serviceable Toys, all styles of Banks, Bed-Steads, Cradles, Doll's Carriages, Pianos, Buck Saws, Tea Sets, Parlor Sets, Bed-Room Sets, Locomotives and lots of Mechanical Toys.

AUTOGRAPH AND SCRAP BOOKS, PHOTO ALBUMS, PICTURE FRAMES, LOOKING GLASSES, TRIPLICATE MIRRORS,

Birthday, Christmas and New Year Cards, Dressing Cases, Mahiure Sets, Collar, Cuff and Handkerchief Boxes, Cents' Traveling Cases, Toilet Articles, Willow-ware,

Fancy Baskets, Bric-a-brac, Bronzes, Bisques, Terra Cotta, Rose Cotta, Japanese Art Work, Brass Goods, and thousands of other Fancy Things too Numerous to mention.

Our Stock of Holiday Goods is Unusually Large, and as we want to sell them all out and not carry any over, we have made our prices very Low. If you need something NOVEL we have it.

Sanger Brothers.

RETAIL DEPARTMENT

Lessing, Solomon & Rosenthal,

Our Sales prove that Moderate Prices will eventually bring trade, and we propose keeping the prices down to the lowest limit.

This week you who are in need of a good Suit of Clothes can save from \$2.50 to \$10 on a Suit by visiting our Clothing Department

A Good Suit for \$5.00,
A Better Suit for \$7.50.
An all-wool Stylish Suit for \$10 that's worth \$15
Just Examine our line of Stylish Garments at
\$12.50, \$15.50, \$18.50, and \$20.

This Stock is entirely too large, and we must reduce same, no matter what this sacrifice may be. We are showing the most elegant line of TROUSERS ever brought to this city.

Lessing, Solomon & Rosenthal,
Cor. 5th and Austin Streets.

We are still selling the best
40 Cent Kid Gloves.

We are still selling the best
60c. Kid Gloves.

We are still selling the best
90c. KID GLOVES.

We are still selling the best
10c. Hose.

We are still selling the best
12 1-2c. Hose.

We are still selling the best
20c. Hose.

We are still selling the remainder of our Cloaks and Wraps at
Sixty Cents

On the Dollar.

In fact, we are still Selling and will Continue to sell our goods at the

Lowest Prices,
Which will always be found just a little

Lower Than Other Houses.

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CHEAP COLUMN.

WANTED—A situation as driver of team or work in store—have had several years experience—good references. Address K. care of News office. 1w121

WANTED—A situation by a competent salesman, address postoffice box 636 Waco Texas.

WANTED—To buy a horse, and pay for same in monthly installments; must be cheap. Address "Boy," care News office.

WANTED—To trade a good five room house, with fine orchard, good well of water and 1/2 acre of land on 14th street, for land or live-stock. Address, T. N. McMillan Jr., Box 30, Waco, Texas.

FOR SALE—Chambers' Encyclopedia, latest edition, new, at half its value. For particulars call at or address this office.

PAPERS—We have old papers constantly on hand and parties wanting them can get them at a bargain by applying at the Evening News office, No. 614 Austin Avenue.

WANTED—Employment by a little boy 13 years of age, willing to do any kind of work. Address Ernest Latham 615 1/2 Austin street, Webster building.

WANTED—At Mason, Morgan & Co.'s Market, young calves, fat enough for year.

FOUND—A copy of "Daniel's Chancery Finding and Practice," on south side street. The book can be had by calling at the News office and paying for this advertisement.

Stolte - Brothers,
FRESH - BREAD
GROCERIES AND PRODUCE.

Delivered in any part of the city. Increased trade assures all of our groceries to be fresh.

STOLTE BROTHERS,
Corner Fifth and Austin Sts.

MEN—WHO ARE WEAK, NERVOUS AND DEBILITATED AND SUFFERING FROM NERVOUS DEBILITY, BRUISED WEAKNESS, NIGHTLY MISIONS AND ALL THE EFFECTS OF EARLY VICE, which lead to PREMATURE DEATH, CONSUMPTION OF LUNACY, send for FREE Treatise ON DISEASES OF MEN, with particulars for FREE CURE.

Cure guaranteed. No cure no pay. J. S. FRANK and 614 Church St. Nashville, Tenn.

New Enterprise.
Call and see Edgar & Co.'s new Cider Mill in Stone's new hotel block, on 5th street, between Austin Avenue and Franklin streets. Come and get some fresh cider from the apples as they are ground and pressed. Cider by the glass, pint, quart, gallon or barrel at rock prices. Come one, come all.
J. R. Edgar & Co., 1044

The Waco Furniture company's holiday display looks as though they were still holding the State Fair.

New pianos and organs constantly at D. H. Spencer's. Come and see them.

A fine new stock of watches, diamonds and jewelry at bed rock prices at Mitchell's.

Goodbye Yellow Fever.
JACKSONVILLE, Dec. 10.—President Neal Mitchell's official bulletin for twenty-four hours ending at 6 p. m. is as follows: New cases, none; deaths, none; total cases to date, 4704; total deaths to date, 412.

Western Union Dividend Declared.
New York, Dec. 12.—At the regular monthly meeting of the Western Union directors to-day the usual dividend of 1 1/2 per cent. was declared out of the earnings of the current quarter.

Rabbi Levy Acquitted.
NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 12.—Rabbi A. R. Levy of Chicago was arrested in that city some time ago and brought back to New Orleans, charged with having obtained certain mortgage notes by fraud. He was tried here to-day and acquitted.

Shies Her Caster.
ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 10.—At a meeting at the foreign office a high military authority urged that an ultimatum be sent to the Persian government warning it that Russia would take steps for the occupation of Persia unless it canceled the treaty opening up the Karun country to the English.

The Birmingham Trouble.
BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 12.—The jury in the Hawes murder case concluded the investigation to-day, and the verdict was rendered that both the women and girl came to their death at the hands of R. B. Hawes, and that Fanny Bryant and Albert Patterson were accomplices.

Two more warrants charging Sheriff Smith with murder were sworn out to-day and he is again a prisoner in jail.

Los Angeles Admitted to Rail.
Hempstead, Tex., Dec. 12.—Justice of the Peace Robinson heard and decided the case of Joe B. Losingale, Jr., for the killing of ex-Sheriff McDade, granting him bail in the sum of \$5000.

About forty witnesses were summoned and left this afternoon for Houston in the case of Springfield and McDade for the killing of Alchin at this place in May last. The case comes up for trial to-morrow at Houston.

Broken on the Wheel.
GAINESVILLE, Dec. 12.—John Ingram was accidentally killed at Dexter, this county, yesterday, while trying to adjust a belt at a mill. His sleeve was caught, jerking him on the shaft and whirling his body rapidly around it and beating him against the floor at every revolution. When the machinery was stopped it was found that Ingram's right arm was broken to pieces, the ribs on the right side were all broken and the right leg broken in two places. He died in twenty minutes.

The Fair sex at the Polls.
BOSTON, Dec. 12.—The result of the election for members of the school committee was the election of the entire ticket nominated by the republicans and endorsed by the committee of one hundred. The only member of the present board re-elected is Miss Mastins, and among the eleven there are no Catholics. Sixteen thousand nine hundred and forty-seven is the approximate number of women who voted in a total registration of about 21,300, or very near eighty per cent.

The Old "Q." Strike off.
CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Chairman Kavenor, of the engineer's grievance committee, arrived from San Francisco yesterday. He called upon representatives of the switchmen's association and learned for the first time that the organization had declared the old "Q" strike off. Kavenor will make an energetic attempt to settle the strike. General Superintendent Beasler, of the Burlington route, told the switchmen committee that none of the present employees could be discharged to make room for them and that they could get back only as individuals.

Texas Masons.
HOUSTON, Tex., Dec. 12.—The Grand Lodge of Masons for the state of Texas held an annual election of officers to-night. The following were elected: Grand master, W. S. Ely of Gonzales; deputy grand master, A. S. Richardson of Houston; grand senior warden, George W. Taylor of Belton; grand junior warden, John Watson of Clarksville; grand treasurer, Henry Scheffins of Houston; grand secretary, William F. Swain of Brazoria. There was an exciting contest for secretary, T. W. Hudson, the old grand secretary being defeated after several ballots had been taken.

Federation of Labor.
ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 12.—The American Federation of Labor resumed its session this morning. President Gompers in the chair. None of the committees appointed yesterday were ready to report. O. R. Lake, of St. Louis, was admitted as a delegate from International Typographical Union, vice John Lawler. The following was appointed a special committee to report on that part of President Gompers' address relating to the eight hour law: John F. Kirchner, William J. Dillon, Henry Emerich, Frank K. Foster, William Martin, Alex. Johnson and W. A. Kilner.

Cash Wanted for Prayers.
ROXBURY, N. Y., Dec. 10.—Rabbi Wolf Berger has created a sensation in Hebrew circles here by bringing suit for \$25 against the Kingsburgh brothers, members of the congregation Anshe Chesed. Their father died recently. The rabbi alleges that he said prayers for the soul of the dead, wrote an inscription to be placed upon the tombstone that was subsequently erected upon the grave and taught the defendants to say the Hebrew prayer for the dead and perform certain other religious offices. The answer of the defendants will be a general denial. The fact that the claim has been brought into court is regretted by many Hebrews, particularly as the claim is for so small an amount. It is stated that the case will be bitterly fought on both sides.

A Modern Miracle.
LEKESBURG, Fla., Dec. 6.—S. B. Thompson, a well-known citizen of Lady Lake and a man of family, has been a helpless cripple for four years. A spinal disease which had been pronounced by all the doctors as incurable, was the cause of his helpless condition. On Wednesday night a week ago he dreamed that God told him to go to church next day, go to the altar and pray and get the congregation to pray for him, and he would be cured. Accordingly, without telling his dream, he had himself carried to the church and at the close of the services he was placed at the altar. The congregation led by the Rev. J. S. Collier, prayed for him and he also prayed for himself. He says that while praying he heard a still small voice saying, arise and walk. The third time the voice was quite distinct and positive, and he obeyed at once. Rising to his feet, he cried out: It is done, and he started to walk out of the church. J. W. Dykes and others undertook to support him, fearing that he would fall, but he waved them off and walked firmly and steadily out of the church and down the street and into his own house, shouting and praising God. He is now perfectly cured and walks as easily as any one. After being cured he told his dream. This miracle was witnessed by about 200 persons, and is as well attested as any event could possibly be.

Marriage in High Life.
SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 12.—The most notable and brilliant social event in this city, in many years, was the marriage, this evening at St. Mark's cathedral, of Miss Mollie Franck, daughter of Col. H. B. Andrews, ex-vic-president of the Southern Pacific railroad, to Mr. John Phil D. Ricabefin, a young millionaire of Chicago. The bride's trousseau came from Worth's. The floral decorations were provided by a noted florist of New Orleans, and the supper was prepared by a noted caterer of New York. The presents ranged in value from the conventional silver set to a \$50,000 check from father of the groom. The maid of honor was the beautiful daughter of United States Senator Bate of Tennessee. The bridal couple will leave the city to-worrow for New York via New Orleans. After remaining a few weeks in New York they will go to Europe on an extended tour.

Curios.
Every body, rich and poor, will undoubtedly give the loved ones a present, you can suit your purse at Morrison Risher & Co's. Presents now and beautiful, at from \$5 to \$20.

Get Mitchell's prices on diamonds;
Watches and Jewelry repairing, Diamond mounting and Engraving at E. P. LeDoux, 403 Austin Avenue. †

My store will be open every night 10 o'clock until after the holidays.
Mrs. B. J. Doss

Opera glasses in all styles, at LeDoux's, 403, Austin Avenue.

The cheapest jewelry and silverware at E. P. Mitchell's.

The largest display of toys and fancy goods ever seen in Waco, on exhibition at the 5 and 10 cent store
Get Mitchell's prices.

THE BANKRUPT JEWELERS, LEVINSKI & LEWINE,

WILL BE SOLD OUT IN THE NEXT

FORTY-FIVE DAYS

«THERE ENTIRE STOCK OF»

Diamonds, Watches, Clocks, Jewelry and Silverware.

Optical Goods, etc., Must go at SACRIFICE PRICES. Come Early and Bring Your Cash.

F. O. ROGERS, Trustee.

OUR BOYS & GIRLS

MEN & WOMEN

SHOULD BUY A HOME,

And JOHN MAVFIELD will furnish the Money on the Installment Plan. If you are thinking of buying call and talk to Mayfield about it, he can give you many valuable points.

R. H. Gray

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Groceries,

Wheat, Corn, Oats, Bran, Etc

Country Produce Bought and Sold:

TELEPHONE CONNECTION.

CHEAP CASH MARKET,

J. J. RIDDLE

Keeps the Cheapest and Finest Meats in the City. South Side Public Sq.

PRICES.
Choice Porterhouse, 10c
Choice loin, 10c
Choice round, 10c
Choice ribs, 10c
Choice steak, 10c
Sausage, 10c
Spice ribs, 10c

A NEW DEPARTMENT.
FRESH BARBECUED MEATS
Every day direct from the hills, and delivered at your residence.
J. J. RIDDLE.

New Birmingham.

Lots in this growing city are selling rapidly. In certain blocks they have advanced one hundred per cent in one month. J. B. Baker, Mrs. E. Lynham, Mr. A. Berkshire, Mr. C. C. Cook and others, who have just returned from there, speak in the highest terms of the prosperity and rapid advance of the city. We have maps and price list of lots in our office which you are invited to call and inspect. The following is a specimen of prices:

BUSINESS PROPERTY.
13 lots block 1 Austin St. \$ 500 00
6 " " 1 Galveston " 750 00
7 " " 2 " " 750 00
5 " " 2 Dallas " 1,000 00
3 " " 3 " " 1,000 00
17 " " 5 Houston " 500 00

RESIDENCE PROPERTY.
Lots from \$150 to \$500, according to location.

By using our maps and price list you can make a judicious selection and save the time and expense of a trip to Birmingham.

J. B. GILMER & CO.
Waco, Texas.

Waco coal yards, northeast corner square, convenient for prompt delivery. Hard and soft coal and coke.

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